

8

PATENT

Attorney Docket No.: 47508.556 (HYZ-069CN2)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Sudhir Agrawal

Serial No.: 09/896,692

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Filed: June 29, 2001


Group Art Unit: 1635

For: NOVEL HIV-SPECIFIC OLIGONUCLEOTIDES AND METHODS OF THEIR USE

CERTIFICATE OF FIRST CLASS MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, BOX SEQUENCE, P.O. Box 2327, Arlington, VA 22202 on the date indicated below.

Date: FEB. 21, 2002


Kenneth R. Maben

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
BOX SEQUENCE, P.O. Box 2327
Arlington, VA 22202

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.82(f)

Sir:

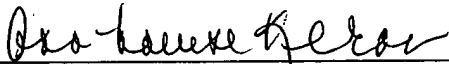
The diskette enclosed herewith contains a computer readable form of the Sequence Listing for the above-referenced patent application. The information recorded in computer readable form on the diskette is identical to the written sequence listing. The computer readable form of the sequence listing contained on this diskette is understood to comply with the requirements of §1.821(f)

U.S.S.N. 09/896,692
Agrawal
Page 2

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 2/21/02


Ann-Louise Kerner, Ph.D.
Registration No. 33,523
Attorney for Applicant

Hale and Dorr LLP
60 State Street
Boston, Massachusetts 02109
Tel: (617) 526-6192
Fax: (617) 526-5000